

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yoshiki NAKANO et al.                      Art Unit : 1793  
Serial No. : 10/599,511                                      Examiner : Elizabeth Wood  
Filed : September 29, 2006                                  Conf. No. : 1093  
Title : CATALYST FOR EXHAUST GAS PURIFICATION AND METHOD FOR  
EXHAUST GAS PURIFICATION

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the restriction requirement made in the action mailed January 6, 2009, the applicant elects Group I (claims 1-3 and 5-11), drawn to a catalyst composition.

Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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